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Scoutmaster's Minute: Adventures to Come

by Dave Ishikawa



I want to take this opportunity to welcome our new Scouts and their parents. We really believe we offer one of the best programs in the area. We do many unique things and provide

a quality program for our members. Your son will have a great experience if you support him and share the Scouting experience. I want to encourage parents to get involved in our troop. If you do not understand procedures or policies please ask. Communications is always considered a two way process in Troop 380. Please look forward to emails and checking out our website to find out what events are coming up. Our parents are one of our strongest resources. Welcome and have a great adventure with Troop 380.

Committee Chairperson's Message

by Zenaida Kamine



Welcome, to our newest scouts and families. As committee chair I would like to invite all the new parents and adult family members to become active members of Troop 380's Parent Committee.

We are a group of parents and other adults working to support our Scoutmaster and Assistant Scoutmasters in providing a quality program for your boys as well as helping to financially support the troop and its members. We are always looking for new ideas as well as new members to help with the many activities that our troop has planned for the upcoming year.

And as you can see from this newsletter, Troop 380 is always busy with campouts, weekend activities, and events. As an adult there are many ways you can help out: volunteering to drive to or from the many campouts, becoming a merit badge counselor, serving on a board of review Monday nights before the Troop meetings, chairing an event or fundraiser or assisting with one of the events or activities.

Please plan on attending the committee meetings where you will hear about all the upcoming events and activities in detail, all the upcoming fundraising opportunities as well as upcoming Eagle projects. We are always happy to see new faces at our meetings which are held at 7pm on the last Tuesday of the month. Please mark your calendars for our upcoming meeting on Tues, March 26th @ 7pm in the building right next to the church. Hope to see you then!!



ORDER OF THE ARROW

All past and present OA members are invited to attend our monthly tribe meetings. They are at 6:30 before the district round table meetings, the second Thursday of each month.

We just held unit elections so be sure to attend the Spring Camporee for the Call Out. And plan on coming the ordeal to show our new members what OA is all about.

have completed their Eagle projects and are working on completing their last required merit badge. Two presented their proposed Eagle project, garden at the Mather VA Hospital and painting a mural on the Rosemont High School sports equipment trailer, to the Parent Committee and the Scoutmaster. They hope to work on and complete these projects before summer. Four have talked to me about possible project and may be ready to talk to the Scoutmaster and the Parent Committee in the next couple of months. This could be banner year if all of them become Eagle Scouts.

In order to become Eagle Scouts they will be asking for your help with their project. So when they ask please help as more hands make the work go faster and it shows your support for a fellow Scout.

the year. However, per troop policy, if there are credits in the accounts, they are automatically applied to scout dues first before anything else. Please let us know if you have questions regarding your account. We look forward to working with all of you!

TROOP PHOTOS

The Picture Guy, Don Dier

Troop 380 maintains a comprehensive collection of pictures from most of our events and activities. They can be found on our website at t380.org . If you haven't done so yet, please visit the website and explore all the information there, including Dave's blog, the troop calendar, past newsletters, permission slips, and much, much more. It's updated continuously, so check it often.

We encourage members of Troop 380 to take pictures at events and would like to have them posted on the website. I'm the conduit for getting pictures posted. There are several ways to get me your pictures:

- Flash drives
- Burn them to a CD
- Upload to DropBox. If you would like to use it to send photos to me, let me know your e-mail and I'll send you an invite. When you add photos to DropBox, please let me know so I can look for them.

It's best if you use the highest quality setting on your camera. It's much appreciated if you do some editing before giving me photos (rotating, deleting duplicates/fuzzies/uninteresting, etc.).

If you have **videos**, please be sure they are of sufficient quality for posting on our website.

You will need to upload them to YouTube and provide me the link.

As you know, we keep our Scouts (and parents) busy with a lot of fun activities. It makes our website more useful if I can get photos as soon after the event as possible. Our webmaster, Duane Dier, lives in the Los Angeles area and endeavors to post photos and other items quickly, but at times he is distracted with work and family, so delays sometimes occur.



MERIT BADGES

By Bob Williamson

The troop has been offering Merit Badge sessions for over a decade. In that time many Scouts have take advantage of the opportunity to meet with a Merit Badge counselor prior to Troop Meetings and successfully completed various Merit Badge requirements. Each Fall / Winter / Spring quarters the Troop offers 2 Eagle required and 2 elective Merit Badges. The ability to offer these badges in this manner is totally dependent upon the volunteer counselors. Please consider becoming a counselor and sign-up with an Advancement Assistant Scoutmaster. Your wisdom and humor are greatly needed and will be appreciated.

Please join me in thanking our most recent Merit Badge Counselors, Charles Potter, Michelle Tyler and Sally Shaw,

EAGLE WATCH

by Johnie Pennington

Congratulations to Joey Schiele on completing his Eagle Project, two benches for Safetyville, and turning in his Eagle Rank application.

There are currently 11 Life Scouts in the troop. Two



FROM THE TREASURER

By Daphne and Wei Hsieh

We are excited about taking on the troop treasurer's responsibilities. The treasurer's desk takes care of your business transactions between 7:00pm to 8:30pm. Troop 380 scout dues are \$100 per year. Families can make payments or use fundraisers to pay them during



Peter Brown and Joseph Jacobs, and Jon Traum for their wonderful leadership. I want to note that Merit Badge counselors can also operate in teams.

For the April - June 2013 the Troop is offering 4 Merit Badges. The schedule for the 6:30 P.M. meetings is posted on the Troop Calendar at website -t380.org. The meeting dates will be 4/1, 4/15, 4/29, 5/6, 5/13, and 6/3. The four badges include:

Citizenship in the Nation

Joseph Jacobs

Personal Fitness Paul Keefer

Architecture Bob Williamson

Basketry Mac Weir

TRADING POST 380

by Peggy Merrill

Your Troop 380 trading post is alive and well stocked with our troop red tee shirt, hooded sweatshirt, nylon jacket, hats, etc. We are open for business during regular troop meetings but ask that you try to make your purchases during the meeting and not at the end!

"SOMETHING EXTRA"

By Peggy Merrill

Raley's has a new program to earn money for the troop. This is the replacement for the old "Quality of Life Cards." Each time you shop at Raley's or Bel Air, Raley's will donate a percentage of your purchase to our troop. This is a great way to earn money for the troop. To join up for "Something Extra", sign up at a store or go online to Raleystores.com and sign up. Be sure to indicate it's for BSA Troop 380. If you have any questions see Peggy Merrill.

Recent Events



Dave shows us how to throw a gutter ball on our Troop Bowling night

Bowling Night

By Mary Brown

On December 27, 2012, with the help of Michael Taylor, the Scout organizer, Troop 380 met at Country Club Lanes on Watt Avenue for a night of bowling and pizza. Troop 380 was out in force having 14 lanes of bowlers. We had a total of 61 Scouts, family and friends in attendance. The highest scoring scout was Darien Jacobs with a score of 141, with a close second, Michael Taylor with a score of 134. The highest scoring adult was Paul Keefer with a score of 178 and Neil Ishikawa next with a score of 159. Crew 380 joined in as well. The highest scoring Crew was Josh Kamine with a score of 143, with Zach coming in second with a score

of 115. From all the smiles and laughs, I believe everyone had a good time. Thank you to all attendees who helped close out the scouting year for 2012.

Winter Court of Honor

By Maryann Evans

On December 10, 2012, Troop 380 held its Winter Court of Honor. The event was held at the Rancho Cordova City Hall. We enjoyed an Italian dinner, fellowship and awards. Many scouts received rank awards and merit badges. During the event we had fun prizes that we were won by some and a fun candy bar. Thanks to everyone that stepped up and helped to put this event together.



2013 Annual Christmas Tree & E-Waste Fundraiser

Thank you to all the hardworking Scouts, Scouters, Crew members & parents who came out to flyer for the 2013 Christmas Tree and E-waste this year. This fundraiser is only successful if we get the word out that we will be picking up trees. So many of you went the extra mile to flyer all of our target areas. A huge shout-out to Allied Waste of Racho Codova, who partnered with Troop & Crew 380 again for the Annual Christmas tree December 29th & January 5th at Sequoia Elementary. The turn out to help was great! Thank you to all who helped collect 350 trees. Scouters and parents did a fantastic job of detailing the Sequoia parking lot. Thank you also to Neil Ishikawa for designing our flyer for us again this year. Troop 380 is at it's best when we work together on fundraisers like these to help our Scouts!

Annual White Elephant Party Filled with Surprises

by Sherri Brown

Troop 380 adults had one last opportunity as the holiday season faded away to party and exchange gifts at the Annual White Elephant Party on Jan. 5 at the home of Peter and Sherri Brown. The potluck event provided an abundance of scrumptious food and drink. After feasting for an hour or so, the revelers migrated to the dining room and living room, still resplendent with a Christmas tree, under which a plethora of unopened gifts awaited. Those who wanted a better view of the festivities sat in the bleachers—the steps from the foyer to the second floor. As usual, the unwrapping of gifts was prefaced by the reading of the rules by Dave Ishikawa. New injunctions were added to the historic prohibitions as people were cautioned not to consume or use gifts until they could no



Adon and other scouts work hard on collecting trees

longer be stolen, not to shake packages unless they planned to open them, not to hide desirable opened gifts to thwart stealing, and not to leave gifts behind when the party ended. (This rule was violated, but the rightful owner was found later that month.)

The gifts ranged from the useful to the totally absurd, from modern to vintage. Some had never been seen—or imagined!—before. Some have been seen too many times! This was a great opportunity to get rid of holiday gifts of questionable taste or devices of dubious usefulness. Surprisingly, a couple of the—shall we say—quirky gifts, such as the ear-of-corn hat, were highly sought after.

This annual adults-only event was a huge success. Many went home with the gift of their dreams—or their nightmares. Those who ended up with gifts not suited to their tastes or lifestyles may be months ahead of most of us. As 2014 begins, all they will have to do is rummage in the back of the closet or the far corners of the garage, pull out some wrapping paper, and make the package look enticing. They'll be ready for next year's White Elephant Party!

Echo Summit Snow Shoe Hike

By Bryan H

On January 13th, we met at the Sunrise light rail station at about 8:00. Two scouts and eight adults showed up. From there we drove for about an hour to Echo Summit Snow Park. We arrived at approximately 9:30. We hiked for about a mile, then put on our snowshoes and took out our trekking poles. Then we hiked about 5 miles in the snowshoes. We hiked for five hours total. We left at about 3:00 and returned at Sunrise Light Rail Station at 4:00.



Dude that is a lot of trees, you going to fit them all in that truck.



The crew that hiked to Echo Summit in snow shoes

Den Chief Training

Kim Perry-Reed

Bright and early Saturday January 19th about 30 young Boy Scouts showed up to University of Scouting to learn all about being a Den Chief. What they didn't expect is to be asked to display the garrison flag in front of hundreds of adult scouters for the opening. They did a wonderful job, then filed in to the classroom (6 days of school, goodness these are some dedicated scouts!). Troop 380 was well represented with Micheal T, Nathan T, Brian H, Jimmy K, John D. and Josh P.R assisting with the training. These fine scouts learned the Purposes of Cub Scouting, how to lead activities at den and pack meetings and had a little fun (and candy) at it. After lunch they got to go outside and practice leading a game so when they report to duty as a Den Chief they are ready to carry out the job! I want to applaud



these scouts and wish them luck as they tackle this rewarding leadership position and hope to one day see them receive their Den Chief Award.

University of Scouting

By Dave Ishikawa

Over 500 Scout Leaders gathered at Edward Harris, Jr. Middle School on Saturday, January 19, 2013, for the Golden Empire Council's University of Scouting (UoS). UoS is the biggest training event of the year helping leaders at all levels of the Scouting learn more about their respective programs. Mike Kuykendall, Johnnie Pennington, Kim Perry-Reed, Peter Brown, and Chris Ishikawa were part of the teaching faculty. I was given the responsibility of hosting the event at my school and planning the opening session. A special thank you goes out to Matthew Brown and Adam Boles who helped me out all day long. UoS

is a great way to share ideas and improve the program. Look for University of Scouting next year so you can improve your Scouting knowledge.

Harlem Globetrotters

By Dave Ishikawa

Troop 380 visited Sleep Train Arena on Monday, January 21, 2013, Martin Luther King, Day to see the world famous Harlem Globetrotters play basketball. Troop 380 was asked for the second year in the row to

present the colors during the National Anthem. We provided our huge garrison flag and received a nice ovation from the crowd. The troop enjoyed the laughs and basketball talents of the Globetrotters and look forward to their return. Thanks to Chris Ishikawa for organizing this special activity.

Snow Campout

Paul Keefer & Charles Potter

Troop 380 had a snow camp out on January 26-27 at Donner Pass. We snow shoed up the trail a mile from Boreal Ski Resort to a snow filled meadow under the shadow of Castle Peak. We built snow kitchens and snow caves and ate lots of spaghetti (Thanks Morea). Three scouts braved the snow cave including Joey S., Brian H., and Josh P. It snowed that night so when we awoke, there was a nice fresh coat of powder. The scouts and scouters learned to keep warm, take layers on and off, and the importance of being prepared - which absolutely necessary for this kind of event. This outing was made possible in part by the Troop Committee who authorized the purchase of



Some scout actually slept in snow caves at the Donner Campout



snowshoes this year. Thanks. We'd also like to thank the other adults who attended: Wei H., Ben K., and Peter B.

Klondike Derby By Michael Kuykendall

February 23 - 24, 2013, 13 scouts and 5 adults slid into the Martis Lake campgrounds for the 2013 Klondike Derby. We arrived early Saturday morning and set up camp. We shushed our way to opening flags, got the agenda, and headed out for the events. There were 14 events with various degrees of Scouting skills to accomplish. For lunch, we had hot chili, cheese, and onions. Afterwards, we headed back to the arena for the Sledge race and Snowshoe race. We placed in 6 events and won



Are you tougher than a troop 380 scout at the Klondike Derby

6 awards. Later that evening, we had a hearty stew (thanks Dave), and rolls. During our late nite trudge to the 'privy', many took advantage of the full moon. It was neat to see the moon shining up the frozen tundra. Sunday morning brought 5 degree weather. We packed up and headed home to dry out and unload. I can not wait till next year! Mush!

Golden Empire Council Recognition Dinner

By Dave Ishikawa

300 leaders from the Golden Empire Council gathered at the Red Lion Woodlake Inn on Saturday, February 9, 2013. 16 individuals were presented the Silver Beaver, the highest honor to be presented a volunteer at the council level. Troop 380's

former assistant Scoutmaster, Norm Parker was one of the recipients of this special award. Troop 380 had a large contingent of participants. Many thanks go out to all who participated helping make this event a big success. Chris Ishikawa has chaired this council wide event for seven years. It was a special evening for all in attendance.

Stockton Thunder

By Chris Ishikawa

Troop 380 traveled to the Stockton Arena on Saturday, March 16, 2013 to see the Stockton Thunder hockey team play the Ontario Reign. This was a first time visit by the troop to see an ice hockey game. Scouts received a hot dog, soda and patch for their participation in the game. The game was full of action and everyone had a great time. Thanks to Chris Ishikawa for organizing our troop to Stockton.



Nothing like a fresh layer of snow to keep you warm at night

Save the Date

Aquatics Day Article

Joey Schiele

On Monday March, 25th, the troop will be heading out to the Aquatic Center off of Hazel Ave. to participate in various water activities. We will be doing Standup Paddle Boards, Kayaking, and Canoeing not with just our scouts, but scouts from other troops as well. It is free of charge for those adults who would like to just observe the event. Make sure you have your swim gear and get ready to enjoy a nice day out on the water!

Spring Camporee

April 19-21

Capital River District Spring Camporee is coming April 19-21 at New Hogan Lake in Valley Springs. The theme is green, not environmental green, but Celtic-Irish green. Troop 380 will be attending and competing in various Celtic events such as: tossing the caber, find the pot of gold (orienteering), a kite design and flying contest, a Dutch oven contest (for adults and scouts), and more. Please sign up as soon as possible because we



'11 Englebright lake trip

receive a discount for signing up early. The troop is taking care of the registration costs for scouts, so the only cost for this trip is food costs as determined by each patrol. See Charles Potter or Matthew Brown for more information.

Englebright Lake

May 18-19

By Dave Ishikawa

Troop 380 will load up the canoes and backpacks on the weekend of May 18-19, 2013 and head to Englebright Lake. Englebright, an Army Corp of Engineer Lake, will be our destination for canoeing and

backpacking. Some Scouts will hike into the Point Defiance Camp Ground and others will canoe across the seven miles of lake to join up with the backpackers. This will be one of our first tune-up trips for our Bowron Lakes / British Columbia trip in 2014. It is a great way to start your canoeing experience in Troop 380.

NYLT: National Youth Leadership Training

By Dave Ishikawa

John D. and Ian C. will represent Troop 380 at NYLT this year. NYLT is advanced leadership



Survivors of troop 380 at the 2012 Spring Zombie Camporee



Scouts helping to honor our fallen troops on Memorial Day

training for youth offered by the Golden Empire Council. Ian and John will participate in this two weekend course at Camp Nauvoo. We have had many Scouts graduate from NYLT and go on to serve as excellent leaders in our troop. The council will be offering two more courses. If any Scouts would like to consider learning more about leadership please contact Michael Kuykendall or Johnnie Pennington for more information. Learners must be First Class in rank and 13 years old. Good luck to Ian and John.

Fair Oaks Cemetery Service Project By Elizabeth Ruygt

On Memorial Day Weekend Troop 380 will be doing their annual service project at the historical Fair Oaks Cemetery on Olive Street in Fair Oaks. On

the morning of Saturday May 25 when the cemetery holds its Memorial Day Service the Scouts will help out by directing traffic, handing out programs and taking part in the flag ceremony during the service. After the memorial service the troop helps take down the chairs and awnings. In the afternoon we will return to the cemetery to take down the Avenue of Flags. Early Monday morning, May 27, we return to the cemetery to put up the Avenue of Flags, returning in the afternoon to take down the flags. This is a popular service project that the boys enjoy because of the moving ceremony, interesting headstones, the beautiful rolling hills and the gratitude of the public. Scouts can earn either community service credit or money for their Scout account. There are four time slots Scouts can sign up for. If you would like more information about

this project, or to sign up for it, please speak to Elizabeth Ruygt.

Crystal Basin Camp Out

May 1- June 2
By Dave Ishikawa

Our June outing will take us to the Crystal Basin in the Sierra Nevada. This camp out will take place on the weekend of May 1 - June 2, 2013. We would like to encourage parents to take part in this camp out who may be new to camping. This will be a great way to introduce parents to the program. Look for details soon.

Capital City District Recognition Dinner

May 11
By Dave Ishikawa

Maryann Evans is chairperson for the Capital City District Recognition Dinner to be held on Saturday, May 11, 2013. This event honors the adult leaders at the unit, district and council level that make the Scout program great. Awards for Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, and Venturing will be presented. Don Dier and LaMar Mitchell will be the cooks for the evening. I understand that dinner will include tri-tip, chicken, dessert and more. Plan on attending the dinner to see who will be the recipients for our Unit Spark Plug Award. Also recognition for those who help out on the district level will be presented. The highlight of the evening is the presentation of the District Award of Merit, the highest honor to be presented to a volunteer at the district level. Chris Ishikawa, Kim Perry-Reed, Johnnie Pennington, Ralph Merrill, Peggy Merrill, and many more

members of the troop will be assisting with this great event. The district is even planning a silent auction. Price for the dinner is \$15.00 for adults and \$10.00 for youth if you register by May 1st. Registration will be available soon. The annual recognition dinner will be held at the Sacramento Buddhist Church on Riverside Blvd. Please see Maryann, Don, LaMar, Chris, Johnnie, or I if you would like to help with this event.

Summer Court of Honor

June 10
By Dave Ishikawa

The Summer Court of Honor will be held on Monday, June 10, 2013. The location, format, and time have not been determined, but please save the date. We will be presenting awards and recognition for events and advancement between courts of honor. Look for details in my emails and from your Scout. I'm sure food will be involved. After all this is Troop 380.

Russian River Adventure

June 22
By Dave Ishikawa

We are tentatively planning a canoe trip down the Russian River on the Saturday prior to our attending Camp Royaneh. The date of this adventure will be Saturday, June 22, 2013. Troop 380 owns 10 canoes and running the Russian River is something we have done several times. After departing the river we will stay overnight at Camp Royaneh to await the arrival of the rest of the troop for summer camp. All the conditions have to be right and arrangements for canoe transport have to be

made. This will be one of the tune-up events for our Bowron Lakes Trip in 2014. Stay tuned for more information.

Summer Camp at Camp Royaneh

June 23-29

By Dave Ishikawa

Troop 380 is headed for Camp Royaneh near the Russian River and the Pacific Ocean. I encourage all Scouts to attend summer camp to get the most out of the Scouting program. We will attend camp June 23-29, 2013. Please see me if you want to attend camp. We have some generous individuals who have provided funds for those who cannot afford to go to camp. All requests are kept in confidentiality. We can work out partial or total camperships to assist families. Royaneh is owned and operated by the San Francisco Area Council. It is one of the oldest Boy Scout Summer Camps in the country. It has a rich tradition and a strong program. Highlighting the

camp are its COPE Course in the redwoods, horseback riding corral, mountain man program, swimming pool, well equipped craft area, outstanding shooting ranges, and huge dining hall. Camp Royaneh is one of Troop 380's favorite camps. Please let me know if you would like to attend. It is not too late to sign up for summer camp.

Pack 380 is Celebrating 50 Years

By Kim Perry-Reed

We cordially invite all current families, Alumni and friends of Pack 380 to celebrate 50 continuous years in the Rosemont community to a celebration dinner.

• Honor Eagle Scouts, past Cubmasters & Pack Leaders

- Displays of pack photos and memorabilia (let us know if you have some to share)
 - Share stories
 - Door prizes
 - And of course have lots of fun with great scouters!
- LDS Church, 1101 51st Street.



79 Webelos Den Leader Ed Lyke hold Doug Marshall upside down to have his "Do a Good Turn Daily" pinned on.

Saturday, June 8, 2013

Social Gathering: 5:30 - 6 pm

Dinner: 6 - 8 pm

\$10 Adult Dinner: \$5 Youth

Register by May 1, 2013

After that prices go up to \$15, & \$7

Purchase tickets from Sharon Jonas at (916) 366-8966

cell (916) 247-4433 or beaver23@comcast.net

Are you interested in sharing pack photos or memorabilia to be on display or make a donation?

Contact Kim Perry-Reed at 916-203-5711 or email kperryr@gmail.com



Where you in the troop the last time 380 went to Camp Royaneh? Do you know their are 15 Eagle scouts in this photo and still counting

Training for Adults

By Dave Ishikawa

One of the phrases you will hear in Scouting is, "Every Scout deserves a trained leader." In Troop 380 we really believe it is important that our adult leaders have the training to provide an outstanding program and safety for all participants. The Boy Scouts of America offers a number of on-line trainings. Every leader must take Youth Protection Training and we hope they go beyond this level of training to help the troop grow.

On April 13, 2013 the Capital City District will offer **Leader Specific Training**. This is a great introduction for leaders. Please consider taking this course to get the basics of the Scouting program. The training will take place at the LDS Church on Wissemann Drive. Please sign up on line on the Golden Empire Council website or contact Sharon Jonas at 916-366-8966.

This fall the council will offer the ultimate advanced course in Scouter training. **Wood Badge** will be offered on two weekends: September 26-28, 2013 and October 10-12, 2013. This course is a must for those who want to go above and beyond on the training spectrum. Please consider taking this course. Talk to anyone wearing a pair of Wood Badge beads to find out more.

Don't forget the offerings that will help us as a unit and you as an individual. Please go on line to take Hazardous Weather, Safety Afloat, Safe Swim Defense, Fast Start, and much more. Each time you take a course you should turn in the training certificate to Floyd Brown or Phil Allen to record in our training records. We also



A lone hiker on the "Lost Coast" trail in Northern California

highly recommend adult leaders take First Aid, CPR, and any other course that will add to the safety in our troop. Show your support for your Scout and Troop 380 by taking all the training you can take.

Lost Coast Adventure

July 27-31

By Dave Ishikawa

The Lost Coast is located on the North Coast of California near Eureka. It is an untouched wilderness area located on the Pacific Ocean. Those who would like to take on this adventure will hike this rugged trail on July 27-31, 2013. Scouts must demonstrate they are prepared to take part in an extended backpack trip. Please see Charles Potter or Dave if you are interested in being part of the Troop 380 Lost Coast Gang.

British Columbia Road Trip and Bowron Lake Adventure

Summer 2014

By Dave Ishikawa

Tucked away in the Canadian Rocky Mountains is Bowron Lakes Provincial Park. The Bowron Lake Circuit is 72 miles of canoeing and portaging in an incredible setting of mountains,

lakes, and wildlife. During the summer of 2014 a group of Scouts, leaders and parents will take part in this wonderful trip. Scouts and adults will canoe the circuit in six to seven days. Our trip to Bowron Lakes will take us up Interstate 5 to Portland, Oregon, Seattle, Washington, Vancouver, and the wilds of British Columbia. This road trip will be an adventure of a lifetime. Like our trip to Yellowstone, families are invited. Parents may continue to explore British Columbia while Scouts are taking on the Bowron Lake Circuit. We will meet on Monday, April 8, 2013 to talk about this trip. Please attend if you are interested in being part of this unique trip. Costs for this adventure have not been determined so come prepared to talk about the type of trip you would like to see.

Fund Raising

By Chris Ishikawa

Scouts have been busy with several fund raising projects this winter. Scouts sold See's Candy for both Christmas and Easter and sold Z-Best Entertainment Dinning and Entertainment Books. Scouts are encouraged to take advantage of these fund raising projects to help pay for their fees for activities like summer camp, Jamboree, or

high adventure. Remember that a Scout should earn their way to camp.

Trail's End Popcorn Fundraiser

By Naomi Kamine-Mellerski

We had 21 scouts and scouters participate in the popcorn fundraiser and they raise almost \$2000 towards their scout accounts. The top three sellers were Austin M. (\$1044.94), Christian H. (\$526.00) and Adam B. (\$464.43). Popcorn sales grand total (including show-and-sell, take-home and online sales) was \$5,170.

Thank you to the scouts and their parents that helped me during this fundraiser. And a special thank you to my family for all your help.

See's Candy

Chris Ishikawa

Each Winter and Spring Troop 380 participates in See's Candy fundraising. I think our spring candy sales have topped the winter sales this year. Eleven families participated and sold around \$1,600 worth of candy. Good job to all. What a SWEET way to add to our scout accounts!

Upcoming Events

March

25	Aquatics Day	CSU Aquatics Center
25	Troop Meeting	Church
26	Troop Parent Meeting	Church

April

1	Merit Badges and New Scouts	Church
1	Troop Meeting	Church
8	Troop Meeting	Church
8	British Columbia Road Trip Meeting	Church
11	Capital City District Roundtable*	LDS Church
12-14	NYLT	Camp Nauvoo
13	Leader Specific Training	LDS Church
14	Gold Country Orienteers Event	Sailor Bar
15	Merit Badges and New Scouts	Church
15	Troop Meeting	Church
19-21	Capital City District Camporee	New Hogan Lake
22	Troop Meeting**	Church
26-28	NYLT	Camp Nauvoo
29	Merit Badges and New Scouts	Church
29	Troop Meeting	Church
30	Troop Parent Meeting	Church

May

6	Merit Badges and New Scouts	Church
6	Troop Meeting	Church
9	Capital City District Roundtable*	LDS Church
11	Capital City District Recognition Dinner	Sacramento Buddhist Church
13	Merit Badges and New Scouts	Church
13	Troop Meeting	Church
18-19	Englebright Lake Canoe & Backpack	Englebright Lake
20	Troop Meeting**	Church
25	Fair Oaks Cemetery Service Project	Fair Oaks Cemetery
27	Fair Oaks Cemetery Service Project	Fair Oaks Cemetery
27	No Meeting – Labor Day	
31-2	Crystal Basin Family Camp Out	Crystal Basin



June

3	Merit Badges and New Scouts	Church
3	Troop Meeting	Church
7-9	National Jamboree Camp Out	Camp Pollock
10	Summer Court of Honor	Church
22	Russian River Adventure	Russian River
23-29	Camp Royaneh	Camp Royaneh

July

27-31	Lost Coast Adventure	Lost Coast
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August

17	SMUD Picnic	Rancho Seco
29-2	Yosemite Trip and Service Project	Yosemite

*Order of the Arrow Chapter Meeting

Prior to Roundtables at 6:30 PM, LDS Church - Wisseman

**Patrol Leaders' Council Meeting

Prior to Troop Parent Meeting, 6:30 PM



Advancement

by Floyd Brown and Wei Hsieh

	Rank	Merit Badges and Awards
Adam B.		Citizenship in the World*
Alden B.	2nd Class	
Matthew B.		Geology
John D.		Citizenship in World* Family Life*
Evan F.		Citizenship in the Nation*
Christian H.		Family Life*
Bryan H.	Star	
Ben K.	1st Class	
Matthew M.	Star	Citizenship in the World* Personal Management*
Alex M.		Citizenship in World
Austin M.	Star	Family Life*
Sameer P.		Citizenship in the Community* Communication*
Logan R.	2nd Class	
Daniel R.		Citizenship in the World*
Joseph S.		Communication* Cycling*
Fred S.	2nd Class	
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